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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1893.

SIX DOLLARS
PER QUARTER

Banks.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND
THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £2,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP £251,093.15.0

BANKERS:
CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND
SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST,
ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS
and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained
on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange
business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [1887]

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF
INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,125,000

BANKERS:
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT
ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent
per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 12 Months 5 per cent.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. [179]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,
LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £500,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:
D. Gillies, Esq. Chow Tung Shing, Esq.
Chan Kit Shan, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.
H. Stollerfort, Esq. Chief Manager.

GEORGE W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches:—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and
Amoy.

BANKERS:
The Commercial Bank of Scotland,
Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [18]

Amusements.

A GRAND LIVING WAX WORK
EXHIBITION,

will be held at
"LA HACIENDA," MOUNT KELLET, THE PEAK.

In Aid of
ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH NEW
ORGAN FUND.

ON
SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 9th December,

From 3 to 5.30 o'clock.

The Band of the Shropshire Light Infantry,
by kind permission of Colonel ROBINSON and
Officers, will play a selection of Music.

Tickets at each can be obtained from Messrs.
KELLY & WALSH, Ltd., and the Rev. A. GURNEY
GOLDSMITH.

Special Trains will be run during the afternoon
and the Managers of the Tramway Co. have
kindly offered to grant 10 pence of tickets for the
above Exhibition at a reduced fare of 5 pence for the
return trip.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1893. [1297]

To be Let.

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES:—
"THE WILDERNESS," Calne Road.

No. 2 and 8, CHANCERY LANE.

No. 8, GLENEALY BUILDINGS.

FLOORS in Blue Buildings.

FLOORS in Elgin Street, Peel Street
and Staunton Street.

FLOORS in No. 5, Shelley Street.

No. 11 and 12, COMBE ROYAL—
Magazine Gun—Furnished.

No. 11, NUTSFORD TERRACE,
Kowloon.

OFFICES:—
FIRST FLOOR No. 4, Queen's Road
Central, over the Bank of China,
Japan and the Straits, Ltd.

GROUND AND FLOORS of No. 7,
Praya Central, New Oriental Bank
Co., Ltd.

PRAJA CENTRAL, over Messrs. Douglas
Sprake & Co's.

GODOWNS:—
BLUE BUILDINGS.

Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT
& AGENCY Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1893. [186]

TO LET.

NO. 7, 7 & 12, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
THIR, FLOOR in No. 6, Queen's Road.
No. 15, HOLLYWOOD ROAD (Government
Girls' School).

ROOMS in College Chambers,
OFFICE in Victoria Buildings.

No. 4, PEDDER'S HILL.

DAVID SASSOON, SON & Co.
Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. [183]

Insurances.

THE STANDARD. ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-
AGES of this form of Assurance, the
following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision
for wife and family or other rela-
tives in event of early death.

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment
for the regular accumulation of
small fixed sums of money.

(d)—The Surrender and loan values are
larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN
THREE YEARS IN FORCE—
should the Policy-holder wish to dis-
continue future payments—he will
be entitled to receive, on application,
a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a
proportionate amount of the Sum
Assured, as explained in the Pros-
pectus.

Full particulars on application,
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [747]

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY OF
NEW ZEALAND.

THE Underigned are prepared to accept
FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on
favourable terms.

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal
to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. [415]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world
payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [173]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,
(LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 \$833,333.33
RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SING, Esq. LO YUE MOON, Esq.
LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER:—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken
at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the
World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 19th December, 1893. [974]

Hotels.

THE WESTERN HOTEL,
QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

OLD "BEN" PRESIDES.

A QUIET AND COMFORTABLE HOME
FOR MEN OF THE
MERCANTILE MARINE.

The very best LIQUORS and ACCOMMODA-
TION.

They come as Strangers but leave as Friends.
BEN. FRANKLIN TAYLOR,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1893. [139]

PEAK HOTEL.

OPEN ALL THE YEAR ROUND.

THIS commodious and well appointed
HOTEL, situated at a height of 1,350 feet
above sea-level, having been leased by the
Proprietors of the "VICTORIA HOTEL," is
now OPEN and will be run in conjunction with
their HOTEL in Queen's Road, thus enabling
them to offer special inducements to Visitors and
Residents.

SPECIAL WINTER RATES,
FROM NOVEMBER 1ST, 1893, TO MARCH 31ST,
1894.

One person, per day \$3.00
One person, per week 19.00

One person, one month 53.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per
day 5.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per
week 32.00

Married couple (occupying one room) per
month 95.00

For full particulars apply to
VICTORIA HOTEL.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1893. [107]

FUJIYA HOTEL,
MIYANOSHITA,
HAKONE.

Four and a half hours from Yokohama.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION.

NATURAL HOT SPRINGS.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT IN ALL THE
BUILDINGS.

TWO NEW ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLES.

EXCELLENT CUISINE.

S. N. YAMAGUCHI,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. [183]

Intimations.

W. POWELL & CO.,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
OIL PAINTINGS.

ETCHINGS, STEELOGRAPHY, MOUNTED PHOTOS,
CHROMOS, PRINTS, &c., &c.

NEW STOCK OF
GLACIER WINDOW
DECORATIONS.

W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1893. [16]

W. BREWER.

XMAS CARDS for HOME MAILS of 9th, 15th and 23rd—
NATIVE HAND-PAINTED ON RICE PAPER.
NATIVE HAND-PAINTED MOUNTED, with PIDGIN ENGLISH POETRY.
JAPANESE HAND-PAINTED CARDS.
VIEWS OF HONGKONG MOUNTED for XMAS CARDS.

LETTS' DIARIES for 1894.
THE ANGLO-CHINESE DATE BLOCKS 1894.
COLLINS' CALENDAR PAD and DIARY for 1894.

NEW SUPPLY LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S TENNIS SHOES, TENNIS BATS,
BALLS, POLES and NETS.

W. BREWER,
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL,
QUEEN'S ROAD.

[1619]

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY.

IN OUR
GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT

WILL BE FOUND A LARGE SELECTION OF

MERINO, CASHMERE and WOOL SOCKS,

MERINO, CASHMERE and WOOL VESTS and PANTS,

CARDIGAN JACKETS and VESTS,

KID, SUEDE, WOOL and LINED GLOVES.

WHITE SWEATERS (all sizes).

J. P. COTTAM,
MANAGING PARTNER.

[1296]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NOW READY.....PRICE, ONE DOLLAR.

FOOLSCAP SIZE, THREE DAYS TO A PAGE, INTER-LEAVED WITH
BLOTTING PAPER.

THE IMPERIAL
ENGLISH AND CHINESE DIARY

FOR
1894.

with the Dates in ENGLISH and CHINESE, and Special localised Information.

ALSO
THE IMPERIAL
ENGLISH AND CHINESE DATE-BLOCK.

Printed in RED and BLACK, with space for Memoranda.

PRICE.....75 CENTS.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,
PUBLISHERS.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1893. [17]

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"—A. B. C. Code—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East.

affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of
the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf
(the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping
Offices.

THE HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being
under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to
spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and lined throughout with electric communications.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public
BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert, and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers
and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are constantly on duty.

R. TUCKER,
Manager.

Hongkong, 17th November, 1893. [129]

CARMICHAEL & Co. LD.

ARE now showing a very fine Selection of CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR CARDS.

CADBURYS' CHOCOLATE CREMES CALLARD and BOWERS' BUTTER-
SCOTCH, EVERTON TOFFEE, RUSSIAN TOFFEE and ALMOND ROCK TOM
SMITH'S CRACKERS, ALBUMS, suitable for Christmas presents, and a very large
Selection of PHOTO FRAMES.

CANADIAN PRODUCE:
McLANE'S GLASS JAR CHEESE.

SALTED SALMON 30 cents per lb.
SALMON BELLYS 25 cents per lb.
SALMON STEAKS (1lb. tin) 40 cents per tin.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1893. [152]

Intimations.

CHINA MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVI-
GATION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE
LOAN OF 1886.

12ND INTEREST.

INTEREST DUE on BONDS of this LOAN
will be PAYABLE at the OFFICES of the
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-
TION on and after the 1st December, 1893.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 10th November, 1893. [1303]

NOTICE.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the
KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART
MAATSCHAPPIJ,

are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading to
Ports of Java, Sumatra (East and West Coast),
Celebes, Timor, Sunda Islands, Dutch New
Guinea, &c., &c. Bills of Lading for through
Cargo from these Ports to be presented to the
Underigned for countersignature.

LAUTS, WAGENER & Co.
Hongkong, 25th November, 1893. [1289]

**GRIFFITH'S
NEW YEAR CARDS.**

WITH PHOTOGRAPHS ILLUSTRAT-
ING CHINESE LIFE and VIEWS
OF HONGKONG and the OUT-PORTS. Suit-
able Souvenirs for posting Home.

Can be had at the Studio
2, Ice House Road and Duddell Street,
or from any Booksellers.

Hongkong, 9th November, 1893. [1222]

THE PHARMACY,
QUEEN'S ROAD.

MESSRS. FLETCHER & Co. beg to
inform the Residents of Hongkong and
the Shipping Community, that they have now
OPENED at the above address. The Store is
managed by a thoroughly competent Chemist
who takes every care that all DRUGS and
CHEMICALS used in the compounding of pre-
scriptions are PURE and FRESH.

FLETCHER & Co. have on hand a good
selection of Druggists' Sundries and Patent
Medicines.

Telephone No. 74. FLETCHER & Co.
Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. [1044]

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st December next,

NO CHITS

will be taken in the following Hotels,
"THE VICTORIA HOTEL,"
"THE PEAK HOTEL,"
"THE KOWLOON HOTEL."

DORABJEE NOWROJEE,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, 26th October, 1893. [1116]

THOMAS' GRILL ROOMS,
(Corner of Queen's Road and Duddell Street.)

THE Underigned has always thought that
such a place as this was the one thing
needed to fit in between HOTEL LIFE and the
PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE—providing it be
First-class in every detail, a place where one
may have his GRILLED CHOP or STEAK
at any hour of the Day, up to 11 P.M.; or later
if notice be given. He is also prepared to
SUPPLY MEALS to PRIVATE PARTIES
per MENU or ORDER—the Parties sending
Dishes, &c., for same—and Cash. Scale on
application.

Monthly Board for One Person...\$35.00
Tiffin\$15.00
AMERICAN FROZEN OYSTERS always
on hand and served in every Style.

Breakfast\$0.50
Tiffin\$0.75
Dinner\$1.00

SPECIAL TIRFINS and DINNERS served
in Excellent Style at short notice.

W. THOMAS,
Proprietor.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1893. [1228]

**PRIVATE BOARD
AND
RESIDENCE**

12, GLENEALY BUILDINGS.

Mrs. GILLANDERS.

Hongkong, 22nd November, 1893. [1276]

**PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE
FOR
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.**

MONTHLY BOARD\$30

MONTHLY BOARD AND RESIDENCE.....\$35

Apply to
Mrs. MATHER,
Nos. 2 & 3, Pedder's Hill.

Hongkong, 11th November, 1893. [1230]

NGAI SHANG,
22, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

RATTAN FURNITURE
of Every Description.

CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS,
CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c.

Latest Patterns; Best Workmanship.

Also
Rattan Cane, Split Rattan, Canton Reed and
Bundles of all kinds.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1893. [1295]

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.

**WINE and SPIRIT
MERCHANTS.**

HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND
GLASGOW.

12, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 24th August, 1893. [1290]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"FOK

The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.
 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—100 per cent.
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—on £8.10.
 The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders' shares, \$100 per share, sellers.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—nominal.
 The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—Preferred shares, nominal.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884—B—2½ per cent. premium, buyers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884—C—2 per cent. premium, buyers.
 Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886—E—14 per cent. premium.
 Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$87 per share, buyers.
 China Trade Insurance Company—\$57 per share, sales and buyers.
 North China Insurance—\$130 per share, sales and buyers.
 Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$140 per share, sales and buyers.
 Vanotie Insurance Association—\$60, sellers.
 On T-I Insurance Company, Limited—\$15 per share.
 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$198 per share, sales and buyers.
 China Fire Insurance Company—\$80 per share, sales and buyers.
 China and Manilla Steam Ship Company—\$50 per share, sales.
 Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—\$7 per cent. discount, buyers.
 Douglas Steamship Company—\$42, sellers.
 The Steam Launch Co., Limited—\$20 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—79 per cent. premium, sales and buyers.
 Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$19 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Hotel Company—\$15 per share, sales and buyers.
 Hongkong Hotel Co. Six per cent. Debentures—\$100 per share, sales.
 The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited—\$4 per share, sales.
 The Shampan Hotel Co., Limited—\$4 per share, sales.
 Pungin Mining Co.—\$6½ per share, sales and buyers.
 The Rauld Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$4.65 per share, sales and buyers.
 The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$1 per share, sales and buyers.
 Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—\$65 per share, sales and buyers.
 The Ichu Mining and Trading Co., Limited—\$2 per share, sales and buyers.
 New Island Mining Co., Limited—nominal.
 London & Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—\$100 per share, sales and buyers.
 Luron Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$3½, sellers.
 A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$9½, sales and buyers.
 Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., Limited—\$1½ per share, sales and buyers.
 Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$4½ per share, sales.
 The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—\$1½ per share, buyers.
 The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—\$5½ per share, sales and buyers.
 The West End Buildings Co., Limited—\$20 per share, sales.
 H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$7½ per share, sales and buyers.
 Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$17 per share, sellers.
 Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$16½ per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Gas Company—\$110 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong Ice Company—\$80 per share, buyers.
 Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$65 per share, sales.
 The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—\$4½ per share, sales and buyers.
 The Green Island Cement Co.—\$5½, sales and buyers.
 The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$1 per share, sales and buyers.
 The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—\$1 per share, nominal.
 The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—\$6½ per share, buyers.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON—Bank, T. T. 2/8½
 Bank Bills, on demand 2/4
 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/4½
 Credits at 4 months' sight 2/4½
 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/4½
 ON PARIS—
 Bank Bills, on demand 2/95
 Credits, at 4 months' sight 3/00
 ON INDIA—
 T. T. On Demand 185
 On Shanghai 185½
 Bank, T. T. Private, 30 days' sight 22½

VISITORS AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr. M. S. Abrahams. Mr. A. B. Leonard.
 Mr. and Mrs. Brockett. Mr. R. Lyall.
 Captain and Mrs. de M. R. W. Maxwell.
 Fulson. Mr. J. McWilliams.
 Count and Countess Mr. Min.
 Butler. Mr. T. Mitchell.
 Mr. W. A. Daland. Mr. V. Pender.
 Major R. S. Fortescue. Mrs. E. W. Phillips.
 Mr. C. Gardner. Mr. F. von der Pfordten.
 Mrs. and Miss Gardner. Mrs. von der Pfordten.
 Mr. Guldner. Mrs. and two children.
 Mr. and Mrs. Haseloo. Mr. H. Portal.
 and 2 children. Mr. F. K. Shean.
 Dr. C. Henderson. Mr. A. S. Iwer.
 Mr. and Mrs. Howqua. Captain Tillett.
 Mr. J. Kirkwood. Mr. C. F. Tremlett.
 Eason and Baroness de Mr. and Mrs. Wyon.
 Ladarlo.

VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAR HOTEL.

Mr. F. East. Mr. A. P. Skeels.
 Capt. and Mrs. Hunt. Mr. A. Findlay-Smith.
 Mr. MacLean. Mr. Stokes.
 Mr. Medhurst. Mr. F. E. White.
 Capt. and Mrs. Moore.

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE—
 For Straits and Calcutta—Per *Thibet* to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 9 A.M.
 For Canton—Per *Powan* to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 9 A.M.
 For Shanghai—Per *Ly-moon* on Monday, the 4th instant, at 3:30 P.M.
 For Swatow—Per *Powling* on Monday, the 4th instant, at 3:30 P.M.
 For Shanghai—Per *Meifoo* on Monday, the 4th instant, at 3:30 P.M.

Shipping.

ARRIVALS.
 CANTON, British steamer, 1,110, T. H. Sellar, 2nd Dec.—Shanghai 28th Nov.—General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 PACIFIC, British steamer, 1,088, A. Wright, 2nd Dec.—Canton 2nd Dec.—General—Butterfield & Swire.
 LY-KE-MOON, German steamer, 1,238, G. Heusermann, 2nd Dec.—Canton 2nd Dec.—General—Stemmen & Co.
 MEKFOO, Chinese steamer, 1,318, W. H. Lunt, 2nd Dec.—Canton 2nd Dec.—General—C. M. S. N. Co.
 MICHAEL JENSEN, German steamer, 710, H. Schiller, 2nd Dec.—Canton 2nd Dec.—General—Stemmen & Co.
 MATHILDE, German steamer, 600, P. Moore, 2nd Dec.—Qidong 26th Nov.—and Tounon 29th, General—Stemmen & Co.
 ESMERALDA, British steamer, 966, G. A. Taylor, 2nd Dec.—Manila 29th Nov.—General—Shewan & Co.
 NAMOA, British steamer, 863, H. C. Harris, 2nd Dec.—Fochow 28th Nov.—Amoy 30th, and Swatow 1st Dec.—General—D. Laprak & Co.
CHARTERS TOWER. British steamer, 1,905, A. Murray, 2nd Dec.—Kutchin 26th Dec.—Coals—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.
 HONGKONG, French steamer, 738, C. Bastran, 2nd Dec.—Haiphong 29th Nov.—General—A. R. Marry.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.
Serrano, American bark, for Whampoa.
China, German steamer, for Saigon.
Toyo Maru, Japanese steamer, for Kobe.
Byda, Norwegian steamer, for Saigon.
Pronto, German steamer, for Halphong.
Volute, British steamer, for Singapore.
Jenny, American schooner, for Yap.
Fokien, British steamer, for Swatow.
Kong Bang, British steamer, for Singapore, &c.
Thibet, Austrian steamer, for Singapore, &c.

DEPARTURES.
 December 2, *Clara*, British str., for Singapore.
 December 2, *Ash*, Danish str., for Halphong.
 December 2, *John Currier*, American ship, for New York.
 December 2, *Formosa*, British str., for Swatow.
 December 2, *Afghan*, British str., for Shanghai.
 December 2, *Volute*, British str., for Singapore.
 December 2, *Toyo Maru*, Japanese steamer, for Kobe.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED.
 P. Canton, from Shanghai, &c.—Mrs. and Master Telle and maid, Captain Gyles, Mr. Griffiths, and 81 Chinese.
 Per *Mathilde*, from Quinhon, &c.—25 Chinese.
 Per *Namoa*, from Fochow, &c.—1 European and 73 Chinese.
 Per *Esmeralda*, from Manila.—Mrs. M. Chelcias, Mrs. M. Font and infant, Messrs. A. Dohse and 1 servant, J. Astelo and servant, Sui Cheong Hing and servant, 1 European and 71 Chinese (deck).
 Per *Hongkong*, from Halphong—2 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The British steamship *Esmeralda* reports that she left Manila on the 20th ultimo. Had strong north-east monsoon with high sea to lat. 20° north; thence to port had fresh monsoon with moderate sea.

The British steamship *Namoa* reports that she left Fochow on the 23rd ultimo. Amoy on the 30th, and Swatow on the 1st instant. Had fresh north-east monsoon and fine clear weather throughout. In Swatow the steamship *Haitan*, *Fookyang*, *Kwongyang*, *Felung*, and *Felching*. The British steamship *Canton* reports that she left Shanghai on the 28th ultimo, and Swatow on the 1st instant. Had light variable winds and fine weather to Wolte Dogs; thence to Chapel Island had moderate to light westerly winds and fine weather; thence to Swatow had strong monsoon and high north-east sea; thence to port had moderate monsoon and following sea.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.
 AJAX, British steamer, 1,477, Barr, 28th Nov., Shanghai 22nd Nov., Fochow 24th, and Amoy 26th, General—Butterfield & Swire.
 ALWIN, German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, 30th Nov.—Pahol 27th Nov., and Holbo 29th, General—Wielor & Co.
 AMIGO, German steamer, 771, T. Bendixen, 16th July—Salgon 12th July, Rice—Wielor & Co.
 BANTAM, Dutch steamer, 1,457, C. J. van de Borch, 19th July—Bangkok 13th July, Rice—Lauts, Wegener & Co.
 BYOND, Norwegian steamer, 901, Ch. Brenne, 27th Nov.—Sourabaya 15th Nov., Sugar—Man Mow.
 CHAMONG, British steamer, 1,453, J. E. Williams, 1st Dec.—Kobe 23rd Nov., and Moll 27th, Coals and General—Butterfield & Swire.
 CHELYDRA, British steamer, 1,574, R. Cass, 1st Dec.—Calcutta 17th Nov., Penang 18th, and Singapore 22nd, Opium and General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 CHINA, German steamer, 1,114, P. Voss, 29th Nov.—Salgon 22nd Nov., Rice—Melchers & Co.
 DENHOSHIRE, British steamer, 1,670, Davies, 1st Dec.—Kutchin 26th Nov., General—Dodwell, Carill & Co.
 DEYAWONSK, British steamer, 1,059, R. Curtis, 28th Nov.—Bangkok 19th Nov., and Arg-hin 20th, Rice and General—Yuen Fat Hong.

FAKE, British steamer, 117, Captain Melasac, Hongkong Government tender.
 FORKIN, British steamer, 306, W. Davis, 1st Dec.—Tamat 27th Nov., Amoy 28th, and Swatow 30th, General—D. Laprak & Co.
 GALEIC, British steamer, 4,200, Pearne, 28th Nov.—San Francisco 2 d Nov., and Yokohama 33rd, Mails and General—O. & O. S. S. Co.
 KONG BING, British steamer, 867, J. B. Jackson, 28th Nov.—Bangkok 18th Nov., General—Yuen Fat Hong.
 LOKRANO, British steamer, 978, Moscov, 29th Nov.—Swatow 28th Nov., Ballast—Thine, Matheson & Co.
 MINNION, British steamer, 826, B. Branch, 1st Dec.—Sundapan 26th November, Timber, Ballast, and General—Butterfield & Swire.
 PICCOLA, German steamer, 875, E. Hass, 29th Nov.—Salgon 15th Nov., Rice—Melchers & Co.
 PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stojan, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.
 POLUX, German steamer, 808, J. Collins, 26th Nov.—Sourabaya 8th Nov., and Singapore 14th, Sugar and General—Melchers & Co.
 PRONTO, German steamer, 632, Bohn, 30th Nov.—Halphong 28th Nov., Rice and Pass—Stemmen & Co.
 TAMARIND, Norwegian steamer, 730, L. Costberg, 1st Dec.—Canton 1st Dec., General—Order.

THIBET, Austrian steamer, 1,780, P. Coradici, 29th Nov.—Moll 20th Nov., Coal—Austrian Lloyd.
 THIMMER, German steamer, 676, J. Petersen, 1st Dec.—Canton 1st Dec., General—Ed. Schellham & Co.

HONGKONG—SAILING VESSELS.
 ALFRED HAWLEY, British bark, 412, W. Llewellyn, 15th Nov.—Whampoa 15th November Ballast—Order.
 BASUTO, German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 14th Oct.—Amoy 4th Oct., Sugar—Wielor & Co.
 BRILL, American ship, 1,515, Whitmore, 21st Nov.—New York 10th Jan., Kerosene Oil—Order.
 KITTY, British bark, 803, H. Wilson, 1st Dec.—Whampoa 1st December. Ballast—Captain.
 JERRY, American schooner, 43, Bowls, 15th November—Yap 31st October, Stevedore—Wielor & Co.
 LOREAN, Italian bark, 794, Juan B. Cafranga, 28th Nov.—Callao 30th Oct., General—D. Mosso & Co.
 MARTHA BOCKHAHM, German ship, 716, Ed. Melchers, 11th Oct.—Philadelphia 21st May, Petroleum—Order.
 NAM SHUN SING, Chinese 3-m. sch., 368, Lok Li Tong, 3rd August—Salgon 24th August, Wood—Yong Kee & Co.
 SACKIN, American ship, 1,312, J. C. Bartlett, 11th November—New York 23rd June, Petroleum—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
 SERRANO, American bark, 594, R. G. Waterhouse, 1st Dec.—Amoy 29th Nov., Beans—Captain.
 SIN KOLGA, British bark, 611, 25th Nov.—from Tientsin, Bones—Butterfield & Swire.
 TARAPACCA, British bark 486, H. Kennett, 7th Nov.—Luguanac 28th Oct., Timber—Gibbs, Livingston & Co.
 THERMOPILE, Canadian bark, 945, J. R. Winchell, 30th Oct.—Austria (Oregon) 16th Sept., can be supplied, if required.
 Wm. J. RITCH, American ship, 1,654, S. Lancaster, 24th Nov.—New York 23rd Jan., Petroleum—Melchers & Co.

Antimations.

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Hongkong, 22nd April, 1893. [401]

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THE Steamship

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J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1893. [5]

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City of Peking (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama)..... Thursday, 14th Dec., at Daylight.

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